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Welcome and Introductions Safety Moment High Level 2023 IRP Schedule Solar Inverter Loading Ratios GridPath Flexibility Analysis **Climate Adaptation Study** Final Load Forecast **RPS Modeling** Price Update

8 minutes 2 minutes 10 minutes 15 minutes 15 minutes 15 minutes 25 minutes 10 minutes 10 minutes

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Spring Safety Tips

**Spring outdoor work**: Think about ladder safety and inspect your tools before you begin outdoor projects.

**Slips, trips, and falls**: Softer ground or muddy conditions can be hazards in the spring weather; wear weather/work appropriate shoes and watch your step.

**Changeable weather**: Be prepared for dry, wet, warm, and cold weather by taking extra care with your attire and supplies.



## HIGH LEVEL 2023 IRP SCHEDULE

20	21						20	22							2023	
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# SOLAR INVERTER LOADING RATIOS

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## Inverter Loading Ratio Basics

Ratio of panels (DC) to inverter (AC) size

• For example, if 130 MW of panels are paired with a 100 MW inverter, the ratio is 1.3

130 MW of DC panels

100 MW AC inverter

100 MW solar project with a 1.3 ILR

Higher ratios allow for higher/smoother solar production

- Generating more both when sun is setting/rising and with clouds
- Once system is at 100% in an hour, going to a higher ratio won't be beneficial in that hour
  - For example, if a 100 MW 1.2 ILR facility is producing 100 MW of solar at 1 PM in June, increasing the ILR won't increase generation in that hour since the inverter is already maxed out. It likely will increase generation where the project is not at 100%.



# Inverter Loading Ratios in NW IRPs

Source	Value	Notes
PacifiCorp 2021 IRP	1.30	<b>Reduced from 1.46 in prior IRP based on industry trends</b> - page 191
		"All solar resources were modeled with a DC to AC ratio of 1.2" - page 55
Puget Sound Energy 2021 IRP	1.20	appendix D
Idaho Power 2021 IRP	1.30	Discussed in February 2022 UM 2022 PUC Staff meeting
PGE Proposed 2023 IRP value	1.34	Proxy resource based on 2020 Q1 NREL study
NWPCC 2021 Power Plan	1.40	Samples a range of IRPs/studies - only source above 1.3 is PAC from 2019 IRP



## NREL PV Benchmark Sees ILR Drop

	Resid	lential	Commerci	al Rooftop	One-Axis Tracker	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
Installed cost (\$/W)	2.74	2.65	1.74	1.56	1.02	0.89
Annual degradation (%)	0.70	1.00	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70
Levelized O&M expenses over life of asset (\$/kW-yr)	29	29	19	18	18	16
Preinverter derate (%)	90.5	85.9	90.5	85.9	90.5	85.9
Inverter efficiency (%)	98.0	96.0	98.0	96.0	98.0	96.0
Inverter loading ratio	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.34	1.28
Inflation rate (%)	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Equity discount rate (real) (%)	6.1	10.2	6.1	6.1	5.1	5.1
Debt interest rate (%)	5.0	4.5	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

Table 11. LCOE (Stand-Alone PV) Input Assumptions and Outputs (2020 USD)

NREL: U.S. Solar Photovoltaic System and Energy Storage Cost Benchmark: Q1 2021 (report was published in November 2021; 1.34 value out of an older version of the report published in January 2021).

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## ILR & Christmas Valley Solar

Next slides will focus on Christmas Valley solar at three ILR ratios:

- a) 1.34
- b) 1.50
- c) 1.70





# Most Outages Occur in Evening/Night

Graph shows when outages are occurring in the model, highlight added to hours with over 500 outages (50,000 weeks simulated for year 2025).

#### Most outages occur at evening/night.

3.000 Sunrise/set, mid Aug Sunrise/set, mid Jan (5:10 - 19:20 PST) (7:45 - 17:00 PST) Count of outage hours 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 22 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 22 6 Hour ending

Values from Case One with no new solar additions. Summer is Jul - Sep; Winter is Nov - Feb. Hourly outage count, base 2025

Summer

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Winter

## Christmas Valley Solar, Annual ILR Comp

Christmas Valley Solar (1.34 ILR) 100%-**Annual CF:** 80% -60% -69% 68% 68% 66% 66% 65% 59% 61% 45% 43% 40% 24% 24% 20% 28% at 1.34 ILR 7% 6% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 30% at 1.50 ILR Capacity factor Christmas Valley Solar (1.50 ILR) 32% at 1.70 ILR 100% -80% -60% -40% -73% 73% 71% 70% 72% 69% 65% 62% 49% 46% 26% 27% 20% 8% 7% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% Christmas Valley Solar (1.70 ILR) 100%-77% 77% 75% 73% 76% 76% 80% 68% 66% 60%-51% 48% 40% 30% 30% 20% -0% 0% 0% 21 5 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 4 10 11 6 8 9 Hour ending IRP Roundtable 4/14/2022

Proxy solar average hourly capacity factors, all hours

## Christmas Valley Solar, Winter ILR Comp

Highlight on hours with over 500 outages (from adequacy model)



Proxy solar average hourly capacity factors, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb

## Christmas Valley Solar, Summer ILR Comp

Proxy solar average hourly capacity factors, Jul, Aug, Sep

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Highlight on hours with over 500 outages (from adequacy model)

## ELCC and ILR in PGE's 2025 System

ELCC change from higher solar ILR under one percentage point across different resource size additions



#### Christmas Valley ILR Ladder (100% QF Success)

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## For 2023 IRP

We plan to use an inverter loading ratio of 1.34 for solar projects in 2023 IRP

- At high end for Northwest IRPs
- Recent trend towards lower ratios seen in PacifiCorp's 2021 IRP and 2021 NREL report ("U.S. Solar Photovoltaic System and Energy Storage Cost Benchmarks")
- PGE was asked by PUC Staff and stakeholder to use public data for resource assumptions (1.34 ILR comes from public NREL report)
- Move to an ILR above 1.34 has minimal impact on capacity in PGE system model



# GRIDPATH FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS

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**Blue Marble Analytics** creates innovative, high-quality grid analytics software to guide clean energy planning and policy.

We provide consulting and software-development services for power-system planning and portfolio optimization and management.





Blue Marble

Ana Mileva is the founder of Blue Marble Analytics and the primary architect of the GridPath platform. Previously a consultant at E3, Ana was the lead developer of the RESOLVE model, now used widely for resource planning. She has wide-ranging experience consulting for utilities, government agencies, NGOs, and developers. Experience in the last two PGE IRPs

- 2016 IRP: led capacity-adequacy and reliability study (E3)
- 2019 IRP: led flexibility adequacy analysis

Expertise across a range of topics including:

- Software development
- Data analytics
- Resource planning and portfolio optimization
- Asset optimization and valuation
- Renewables integration
- Storage, demand response, hybrid resources
- Clean energy policy



### **Flexibility Analysis Scope Overview**

- A set of studies that aim to assess **flexibility needs, costs, and value**.
- Studies will be conducted using multi-stage optimal commitment and dispatch in GridPath, an open-source grid planning platform.

#### **Flexibility Adequacy**

This component seeks to model flexibility adequacy and evaluate how different resources contribute to it.

#### Variable Energy Resource (VER) Integration Costs

This component estimates the costs of integrating additional VREs into the PGE system. **Flexibility Value** 

This component evaluates the value of flexibility provided by different resources such as energy storage, flexible loads, or gas generators.



**GridPath** is an open-source modeling ecosystem that enables faster and more technically sophisticated planning for the clean energy transition.



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- Open-source codebase available at <u>https://github.com/blue-marble/gridpath</u>
- GridPath has been benchmarked against
   PLEXOS and RESOLVE

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### **Production-Cost Simulation with GridPath**

Multi-stage unit-commitment and dispatch with flexible temporal span and resolution



#### Generators can be modeled with a high level of operational fidelity



Includes fuel constraints, market availability, regulation, contingency, and load-following reserve requirements

### **Current Status**



- Updates to GridPath implemented to accurately represent PGE generators and system
- $\circ~$  Model is running with draft inputs
- $\circ~$  Finalizing assumptions in coordination with IRP team
- $\circ~$  Draft results in May



### **Thank You**

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# **CLIMATE ADAPTATION STUDY**

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#### **CRS** Team

#### Over 100 Years Combined Experience in the Renewable Energy Space











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#### What Are The Problems?

	Resilience		The ability to recove	r from clim	ate change-induced effects
			Hydro		<ul> <li>Runoff pattern, seasonal variability, precipitation pattern</li> </ul>
			Wind	Ħ	Wind pattern and speed
ange	₩,	Available	Solar	*	Irradiance, ambient air temperature, module temperature
te Ch	Resource	Generation	Thermal	ń	<ul> <li>Cool water discharge potential (quantity and temperature)</li> </ul>
lima	Adequacy		Nuclear	<b>8</b> 98	<ul> <li>Capacity degradation due to extreme weather</li> </ul>
0			Forced Outage	$\otimes$	<ul> <li>Fuel and supply disruptions, transmission disruption and facility damage under extreme weather conditions</li> </ul>
			Peak load		Heating and cooling demand under extreme
		Loads	Average load		weather conditions



#### Method





#### **Preliminary Results**

		Hydro	<ul> <li>For the Pacific Northwest, studies generally predict reduced summertime generation potential, but they disagree as to whether annual generation will increase or decrease because of disagreement among hydrology models.</li> <li>Historically, 10-year drought reduces hydroelectric generation by 26% in the Pacific Northwest [1]</li> <li>Rising temperature will reduce annual hydropower generation by up to 8.2% in 2050 in California. [2]</li> </ul>
	ration	Wind	<ul> <li>Rising temperature is likely to decrease wind output in the central U.S. by 8%–10% but increase the generation in the east central U.S. by 2050. [3]</li> <li>Wind generation potential may reduce by 40% in spring and summer months due to a 4-6% decrease in wind speed in Northwest U.S. [4]</li> </ul>
uacy	Gene	Solar 🊈	• Rising temperature is likely to increase solar output by 0-3% in southeast U.S. and decline the output by 0-3% in CA and northwest U.S. by 2049. [5]
Adeq	ilable	Thermal <u>ಗ</u>	<ul> <li>Climate change driven temperature changes in the Western US is likely to reduce the average summertime capacity of thermal facilities by 1.6-9.5% [6]</li> </ul>
esource	Ava	Nuclear 🙀	• A rise in temperature of 1°C reduces the supply of nuclear power by about 0.5% through its effect on thermal efficiency; during droughts and heat waves, the production loss may exceed 2.0% per degree Celsius because of constrained cooling water system. [7]
К		Forced 🚫 Outage	<ul> <li>Combined cycle and combustion turbines can potentially experience much higher forced outage rates (15-20%) than what is typically expected (3%) during extreme cold periods. [8]</li> </ul>
	ads	Peak load	<ul> <li>Commercial buildings will see 5-10% increase in their peak load (MW), while residential buildings will see more than 10% increase in peak load by 2045 in Western U.S. [9]</li> </ul>
	Lo	Average load	<ul> <li>In the Western US, Commercial and residential buildings will see a 2-8% increase in monthly summer load (MWh), due to increased AC usage. Autumn and Spring monthly load experience similar increase too. [9]</li> </ul>



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# FINAL LOAD FORECAST

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## Load Forecast Update

In October 2020, we provided an update on how COVID-19 was impacting PGE's energy deliveries and the short-term load forecast models.

In July 2021, we presented details underlying the load forecast methodology including preliminary long-term and peak demand model specifications and economic scenarios.

Today, we will provide:

- an **overview** of PGE's load forecast methodology;
- an update on recent trends, including the impacts of COVID-19 and industrial growth; and
- the **March load forecast**, including inputs assumptions and resulting base, high and low load forecasts to be used in the 2023 IRP.

## PGE'S Load Forecast Model



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# **Top-Down Econometric Load Forecast**

#### Near Term (1-5 Years)

25 regression-based monthly energy deliveries models

Business cycle influences energy deliveries

Individual forecasts ~25 large customers

Explicitly removes incremental energy efficiency

Updated as frequently as every quarter

#### Long Term (5+ Years)

Convergence to long term growth rates, agnostic to business cycle and specific customer growth

Three aggregated customer class models

Assumes energy efficiency is embedded in growth rates

Growth rates are appended to near term model output

Updated annually, to support IRP

#### Peak Demand (1+ Year)

Model spans full time horizon, near term and long term

Average energy is a model input

Updated annually



# **Recent Energy Deliveries Trends**

- COVID-19 changed how we use electricity.
  - Significant increase in residential usage, largely unchanged in year 2
  - Dramatic decrease in commercial usage, largely recovered in year 2
- Industrial growth has accelerated, reflecting expansion focused in the high-tech segment.
- Recent trends impact the near-term forecast, which is the starting point for the long-term forecast.



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## Final Long Term Growth Rates

- No structural changes were made to models presented during the July 2021 preliminary results roundtable.
- The economic inputs were refreshed to reflect the latest forecasts.
- Updates in growth rates are driven by updates to the economic forecasts.

	E	Economi	c Inputs			
	Oregon P	opulation	Oregon Non- Farm Employment		Oregon Personal Income	
Data Source	Oregon Office of B		Economic Analysis		Woods and Pool	
Vintage	2021	2022	2021	2022	2020	2021
Average Annual Growth 2023-2030	0.8%	0.7%	1.5%	1.3%	1.4%	2.1%
Result	ing Top-l	Down Lo	ng-Term Growth Rates			
	Resid	ential	Commercial		Industrial	
Vintage	Prelim	Final	Prelim	Final	Prelim	Final
Annual Average Growth Rate	0.8%	0.7%	0.2%	0.2%	1.9%	2.0%

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# Forecasted Long Term Energy\*

- Sector level long term growth rates have shifted with changing economic conditions.
- Total average long term growth rate has remained consistent at around 1%.
   In the near-term, rapid industrial growth leads to higher annual growth rates
- Recent growth and increases in the nearterm forecast result in a level shift in projected usage.

\*This summary does not include the estimated energy impact of DERs



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## Load Forecast Scenarios

	Economic Inputs	Forecasted Growth Rat	tes
	Oregon Population Growth	Oregon Non- Farm Employment Growth	Oregon Personal Income Growth
Base case	0.7%	1.3%	2.1%
High growth	1.5%	2.5%	3.5%
Low growth	0.0%	0.5%	1.0%
	Resulting Top-Dow	n Long-Term Growth R	ates
	Residential	Commercial	Industrial
Base case	0.7%	0.2%	2.0%
High growth	1.2%	0.5%	3.1%
Low growth	0.3%	-0.2%	0.7%



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## Final Peak Demand Model

- No structural changes were made to models presented at the July 2021 Roundtable.
- Peak is estimated as a function of average energy, so changes in the energy forecast are reflected in the peak demand forecast.
   Orowth rate of 0.8%
- The 15-year average temperature has been updated to reflect 2007-2021.
   Osummer peak daily average temp of 83.1°F (or max of ~100°F)
   Winter peak daily average temp of 28.7°F (or min of ~24°F)

# **RPS MODELING**

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# **RPS Modeling in 2019 IRP**

- Our portfolio expansion model ROSE-E developed capacity expansion pathways that minimized costs while ensuring resource adequacy and RPS compliance.
- RPS compliance was enforced through a Renewable Energy Certificate (REC) constraint.
  - ROSE-E simulated energy production (from which RECs were generated), banked, and retired based on rules about both five-year and infinite-life RECs.
- Ensured PGE complied with RPS requirements for generation from qualifying sources by selecting pathways that build sufficient renewable energy generation.
  - If yearly REC generation was less than the year's RPS obligation, ROSE-E would build more RPS resources.
  - Both the size of our REC bank and the quantity of incremental RPS resources in the 2019 IRP made this rare.



# **RPS Modeling in 2023 IRP**

• **HB 2021** CO<sub>2</sub> emissions requirements are more stringent than RPS.

Year	<b>RPS</b> (% of Retail Sales)	HB 2021 (% Reduction in CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions)
2030	35%	80%
2035	45%	90%
2040	50%	100% CO <sub>2</sub> -Free

- ROSE-E's RPS constraints are now even less likely to be binding in portfolio modeling.
  - Renewable resource additions to meet HB 2021 requirements will exceed amount needed to meet RPS requirements.

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• However, the RPS constraints do have a computational cost.

## 2023 IRP Portfolio Modeling

- CO<sub>2</sub> emissions will be constrained to comply with HB 2021.
- We plan to remove REC constraint from ROSE-E.
  - Reduce computational intensity and processing time
- We will have a full RPS accounting of the preferred portfolio.
- This will have no impact on incremental renewable resource additions.
- This change will not affect compliance filings (RPS compliance report, RPIP).

# **PRICE UPDATE**

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## **Electricity Price Forecast: Final**

**Recap** – PGE proposed methodology and comparison with previous IRP was presented in:

- Roundtable 21-1 in February 2021,
- Roundtable 21-3 in May 2021, and
- Roundtable 21-8 in November 2021.

PGE web site: https://portlandgeneral.com/about/who-we-are/resource-planning/irp-public-meetings

**Goal –** Simulate long-term electricity prices for the Pacific Northwest. We use Wood Mackenzie (WM) data with Aurora software to simulate WECC-wide prices. Then, we input such prices in PGE-PZM Aurora model for PGE portfolio dispatch.



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#### Today's agenda:

1) Show final prices and futures

## WECC Model: Setup High Renewable + Storage Build Out

- Aurora + Wood Mackenzie Input DB (WM 2020H2)
- WECC additions are mainly renewables + storage.
- Coal plants are progressively retired.
- Older, less efficient, oil and gas plants are also retired starting in the 2030s.



These charts were obtained from the North America Power & Renewables Service & Tool – WECC, a product of Wood Mackenzie.

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## WECC Model Updates: No Updates Since Last Roundtable

- Gas price forecast: most recent forecast (2021update) is very similar to what shown last November.
- We kept the 2021 base forecast (gas price forecast not updated as change is minor).
- Long-term impact of current shock in the international natural gas market at this point is unknown and not embedded in anybody's longterm forecast.



## WECC Model Results: Reference Hourly Price Range: 2023–2045





## List of Simulated Electricity Price Futures

Risk driver	How we proxy it
Commodity	<ul> <li>Natural gas price:</li> <li>1. Reference: PGE TC + Wood Mackenzie fundamentals</li> <li>2. Low: estimate of historical minimum prices</li> <li>3. High: EIA highest price forecast (from Annual Energy Outlook 2021)</li> <li>Hydro:</li> <li>1. Reference</li> <li>210% in PNW</li> <li>3. +10% in PNW</li> </ul>
Carbon	<ul> <li>Range of carbon adders:</li> <li>1. Reference: California cap and trade projected prices for California, OR, WA</li> <li>2. Low: low California price projection</li> <li>3. High: Social cost with discount rate = 2.5%</li> <li>4. No carbon adder, proxy for a future where tax credits might be used instead of carbon adders</li> </ul>
Uncertainty	<ul> <li>Modeled errors in the Aurora Gurobi-optized logic to simulate less-than-perfect commitment (proxy for lacking capacity at the right time):</li> <li>1. Wind error + ref gas + ref hydro + ref carbon. Imposed price cap of \$250/MWh</li> <li>2. Wind error + high gas + Low hydro + ref carbon. Imposed price cap of \$250/MWh</li> </ul>
Scarcity	Scarcity premiums affecting prices. No easy way of doing this. Proxied it with: 1. Add start-up costs to on-peak hours. Future: Start-up cost + ref gas + ref hydro + ref carbon

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## **Price Futures Combos**

PGE generated the following price futures:

27 combos of gas prices, carbon goals/policy, hydro conditions with default DB setup

3 futures are then simulated to capture uncertainty and scarcity due to intermittency of generation

1 future with reference gas and hydro but no additional carbon adder in WECC

Futures are identified by the following 4 letter combo:

Variable >>	Aurora setup	Carbon adder	Natural Gas Price	PNW hydro gen
	N Net load commit error	CA cap and trade LOW for L CA, OR and WA. Default for rest WECC.	H EIA-AEO 2021 highest gas price case	H +10% PNW hydro generation
	R Wood Mackenzie default	N No carbon adder in dispatch	L PGE estimate of Low historical gas	L -10% PNW hydro generation
	S Start up cost added to prices	<ul> <li>R CA cap and trade REF for CA, OR and WA. Default for rest WECC.</li> <li>S Social Cost 2.5% discount rate for CA, OR and WA. Default for rest WECC.</li> </ul>	R Wood Mackenzie default	R Wood Mackenzie default
Example future:	R Wood Mackenzie default	CA cap and trade REF for R CA, OR and WA. Default for rest WECC.	R Wood Mackenzie default	R Wood Mackenzie default

## **PNW Price Range Across Futures: Detail**



## **QUESTIONS/DISCUSSION?**



### STAKEHOLDER FEEDBACK



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# NEXT STEPS



#### Upcoming Roundtables:

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August 18

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